IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Amulya MISHRA

Appl. No.:10/709,970

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For: Reducing number of computations in a

Neural network modeling several data

sets

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Examiner: KENNEDY, ADRIAN L

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Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed 03/04/2008 and further to the telephone interview with Examiner Kennedy on 28 April 2008, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks accompanying the Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

The Examiner is thanked at the outset for providing the opportunity to conduct the telephone interview.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page number 02 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page number 11 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No.: 20-0674.